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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

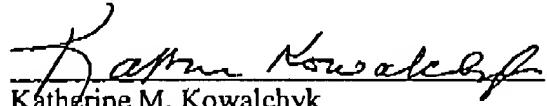
In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that an extension of time be granted, said period of response being extended from March 30, 2007 to April 30, 2007. A one-month extension was previously paid.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2725 in the amount of \$330.00 (\$450 - \$120 previously paid) to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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